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# Highlights



#### Symposium

## Season 15: Shaping Dementia Care Culture | Co-creation Workshop & "One From Hundred Thousand" Social Innovation Symposium

Three co-creation workshops will be held on 11, 18 and 25 February! "Social Designer" from different sectors will be divided into four groups and each group will explore the difficulties and opportunities that people with dementia face in their daily life from the perspectives of "Shopping", "Catering", "Transportation" and "Social Interaction".

The co-creation teams will share their innovative ideas in the Social Innovation Symposium on 18 March. In the Symposium, we will also have guest speakers to share professional knowledges on dementia and introduce relevant innovative projects in Hong Kong too. Stay tuned!

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#### **Action Project**

## Season 14: Carving Paths Together for Small Group Homes

Since the commencement of Season 14 in 2021, JCDISI has reaped systemic change within and beyond small group homes (SGH)! We are gradually closing the service gap for aged-out residents of SGH by connecting 'Hongkong Land HOME FUND' with social enterprise 'Light Be' to set up "Youth Light Home", short-term rental units with catered personal development plan for post-18 SGH residents and other youth from underprivileged families to support their transition to independent living as an adult and acquiring a self-sufficient lifestyle.

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### **Action Project**

## Season 13: Community Support for Carers | Online Carer Support Matching Platform

To design an Online Volunteer Matching Platform for the oldold carers, we have conducted another round of user engagement workshops with 20 elderlies, their carers and volunteers from Sai Kung District Community Centre (SKDCC) together with our design consultant - Studio Doozy



#### Action Project

# Season 13: Community Support for Carers | Volunteer Recruitment

Co-organised with the 1st Step Association, another action project of Season 13 in now recruiting volunteers.

This project aIMS to help carers temporarily switch off from caring duties and lessen the stress from their daily routine

in November 2022. We have obtained a more holistic understanding on the smartphone usage habit and digital literacy of the elderly from the workshops.

Stay tuned for updates on the platform development!

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through providing door-to-door volunteer services for the wheelchairs users and their carers. The project will provide continuous supporting services, including health checks and recreational activities for the families in need.

If you are interested in sending supports to wheelchair users and theirs carers, do not hesitate to sign up as a volunteer!

#### Sign Up for Volunteer



#### Scale-up Project

## 'Furniture For Our Future – For Families in Subdivided Units'

The 'Furniture For Our Future – For Families in Sub-divided Units' press conference was successfully held in late November to celebrate success of cross-sector efforts. The project has received widespread news coverages, including in local TV programmes, RTHK's 'Hong Kong United' and TVB's 'A Dream Home Planning'.

The furniture distribution campaign is also in full swing. Apart from the pilot run in Kowloon City, we are now partnering with multiple NGOs in Yau Tsim Mong and Sham Shui Po to deliver another 720 furniture sets to families in need and will also be setting foot in Kwai Tsing, Tsuen Wan and some other districts.

Check out our website to find out more!

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#### Achievement

# JCDISI Research Project's Effort Recognised in 2022 CIC Construction Innovation Award

Led by the JCDISI's Spatial (Research) Team, the research on "Expandable Housing by MiC" was presented with the Merit Award in the category of "Construction Sustainability" of the "2022 CIC Construction Innovation Award".

A design prototype based on Modular Integrated Construction (MiC) technology was proposed in the research to design a building system that enable the structure to be flexibly disassembled or reassembled, with a view to deliver housing in a speedy and systematic manner.

## What's New



(Quick interventions by JCDISI during the Jat Min IG Day last December 2022)

### Scale-up Project

HKJC Intergenerational Play Space @Jat Min Chuen

### **Community Engagement Workshop**

After months of planning and collaborations with different stakeholders, JCDISI will kickstart three community cocreation workshops with our architectural consultant, *MLKK* at Jat Min Chuen. The workshops aim to gather the thoughts and imaginations about intergenerational play space of the community from different ages and backgrounds.

The workshops are scheduled tentatively for 12, 19 and 26 March (Sunday) at the H.K.F.Y.G. Jockey Club Jat Min Youth S.P.O.T. Application details will be announced soon! If you are interested in joining this community planning project, please stay tuned for more information!

## **Snapshots**



"Operation Solnno" Programme

## Season 15: Shaping Dementia Care Culture | Movie Screening and Online Seminar

Movie Screening of "CareNin – Thank God You're Here" was successfully held on January 15 and two online seminars were organised on January 16 and 17. Grateful for the sharing from our guests, including:

- Mr Matthew Shum, Founder of Illuminant
- Dr. Patrick Kor, Assistant Professor of School of Nursing, PolyU
- Dr Jacky Choy, Research Assistant Professor of Department of Social Work and Social Administration,

  HKII
- Prof. Rick Kwan, Associate Dean (Programme) and Professor of School of Nursing, Tung Wah College
- Ms Jaclyn Leung, Manager, Art in Hospital
- Ms Cheung Yung, Assistant Manager, Art in Hospital

which enriched our learnings on Dementia. The events recorded more than 200 views.

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**User Engagement** 

# Season 14: Carving Paths Together for Small Group Homes

Small Group Homes (SGHs) children were invited to jobshadow at JCDISI to broaden their spectrum of career directions and future aspirations, as well as enhancing selfesteem and confidence through hands-on experience of carrying out specific work tasks and prototyping their own small group homes physical model.

We look forward to expanding the scope of job shadowing by including more host companies and children in the future!

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#### **Design Education**

# Live Action Role Playing game design X English writing?

A group of students from Tang Shiu Kin Victoria Government Secondary School join us to explore new way of learning English! This time, students learnt English writing and storytelling skills through collectively designing a Live Action Role Playing game.

Instead of teaching in a straightforward manner, students can develop their own LARP game by formulating plots and creating characters like never before!

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#### SIRF2022

#### Thematic Session 3 & Main Forum Wrapped Up

SIRF2022's 3rd thematic session titled 'Everyone is an Innovator" and Main Forum themed of 'Navigating Post-pandemic Era with Social Innovation' were completed successfully on 25 November and 9 December 2022.

22 innovators from different cities across Asia shared their experiences on creating enabling environments for silver age enterprises, and innovative ideas to cope with the challenges in the post-pandemic era and beyond. The events have attracted nearly 600 participants!

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#### Good Seed

# 10 Good Seed Teams Embark On Their Social Innovation Journey!

Good Seed has successfully conducted the final presentation on 14 January for Cohort 2 2022. 10 teams are chosen to grant \$200,000 funding support to implement their projects. 3 teams out of the finalist will be awarded HK\$50,000 Rosewood Foundation Prize. Stay tuned for the details!

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#### Collboration

## Social Ventures Hong Kong | House of Social Innovators Impact Workation

JCDISI welcomed fellows from the House of Social Innovators from Social Ventures Hong Kong (SVhk) to work alongside JCDISI's current projects such as Good Seed, designing intergenerational play space, reimagining the interior design of small group homes and design thinking workshops.

The fellows have brought together their expertise to spark discussions and new imaginations for the projects. It's an absolute joy to have them with us at JCDISI. Wish they can experience the satisfaction from social innovation!

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